26970. Feeding whole wheat (4 seizure actions). (F.D.C. Nos. 45029, 45030, 45031, 45032. S. Nos. 33-233 R, 33-240 R, 33-541 R, 36-121 R.)

QUANTITY: 223 bags, containing a total of 22,390 lbs., at Brooklyn, N.Y.

SHIPPED: The article was delivered, on 8-25-60 and 8-30-60, to a ship pier at Brooklyn, N.Y., for shipment to Iceland.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article was moldy. This condition developed following submersion in polluted river water, which occurred as a result of a storm on 9-13-60, which flooded the pier where the article was stored.

LIBELED: 11-9-60, E. Dist. N.Y.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained a decomposed substance while in interstate commerce.

Disposition: 2-8-61. Default—destruction.

## FISH AND SHELLFISH

26971. Frozen ocean perch fillets. (F.D.C. No. 44907. S. No. 7-936 R.)

QUANTITY: 19 cases, 10 5-lb. ctns. each, at Boston, Mass.

SHIPPED: These fillets were from fish caught by the fishing vessel "Ethelena" in the waters of the Atlantic Ocean outside the limits of Massachusetts, and landed at the Boston Fish Pier on 9-6-60.

Libeled: 9-22-60, Dist. Mass.

CHARGE: 402(a) (3)—contained parasitic copepods when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 11-14-60. Default—delivered to a public institution for use as animal feed.

26972. Frozen whiting. (F.D.C. No. 44901. S. No. 7-867 R.)

QUANTITY: 372 10-lb. boxes at Rockland, Maine.

Shipped: Whiting fish were caught by the fishing vessel "Louise G," in the waters of the Atlantic Ocean outside the limits of the State of Maine, on or about 8-30-60.

Libeled: 9-19-60, Dist. Maine.

CHARGE: 402(a) (3)—contained decomposed fish when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 10-24-60. Default—sold for conversion into fertilizer.

26973. Frozen halibut and frozen red snappers. (F.D.C. No. 44249. S. Nos. 85-616 P, 96-864/5P.)

QUANTITY: 43 boxes, containing a total of 8,867 lbs. of halibut, and 2 boxes, containing a total of 153 lbs. of red snappers, at Monmouth Beach, N.J.

SHIPPED: Between 9-10-58 and 12-28-59, from New York, N.Y.

Libeled: 2-24-60, Dist. N.J.

CHARGE: 402(a) (3)—contained decomposed fish while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: Halibut—5-4-60. Consent—claimed by Eastern Commission Co., Inc., New York, N.Y. Segregated; 5,842 lbs. destroyed. Red snappers—12-9-60. Default—destruction.

26974. Frozen oysters. (F.D.C. No. 44833. S. No. 340 R.)

QUANTITY: 9 cases, 14 4-lb. size cans each, at Honolulu, Hawaii.

SHIPPED: 7-18-60, from Seattle, Wash., by Swiftsure Fisheries.